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Dear Sir/Madam:

We submit the above-identified new patent application, including the following documents. For this application priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 120 based upon European Application No. EP 040 75 227.1 filed 14 January 2004.

1. Patent Application Transmittal Ltr. (3 pages)
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Intl. Pub. No. WO-2005/068856 A1 (12 pages)
3. Specifications, Claims, Abstract (8 pages)
4. Drawings (6 sheets)
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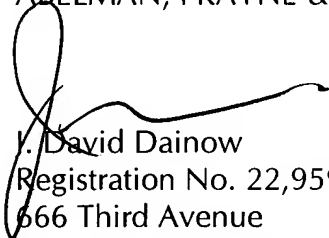
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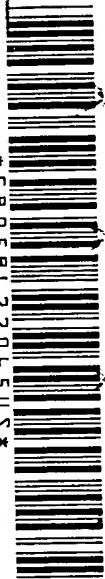
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